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SUBJ: STUDENT VISA PROBLEMS

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1. IN RESPONSE TO OUR REQUEST LANGARTEN APPEARED AT CONGEN SEPT. 6. TO SUMMARIZE HIS PROBLEMS: HE ENTERED INDIA IN JANUARY 1973 ON A TOURIST VISA, VALID FOR A 3 MONTH STAY. HE THEN ATTEMPTED TO CHANGE HIS STATUS TO THAT OF STUDENT. ALL ATTEMPTS TO OBTAIN A STUDENT VISA HAVE BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL. HE WAS GIVEN TWO WEEKS TO DEPART INDIA FROM AUGUST 16 BUT MANAGED TO HAVE THIS DATE EXTENDED AND NOW MUST LEAVE BY SEPT. 12. HE PLANS TO PROCEED TO DACCA WHERE HE WILL REAPPLY FOR A STUDENT VISA HAVING BEEN ADVISED TO DO SO BY UNAMED INDIAN AUTHORITIES.

2. CONGEN'S OPINION IS THAT LANDGARTEN WILL NOT RECEIVE HIS STUDENT VISA GIVEN CURRENT GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POLICY ON SUCH MATTERS. WE ADVISED HIM TO DEPART THE COUNTRY AND NOT RISK REMAINING IN INDIA WITHOUT VALID TRAVEL DOCUMENTS. HE AGREED AND PLANNED TO PROCEED TO DACCA ON SEPTEMBER 12. CONGRESSMAN JOHN WYDLER INTERESTED.

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